

45. The injection nozzle (1) according to claim 31, wherein the width of the annular groove (8) is greater than, preferably one-and-a-half times greater than, the diameter of the injection orifice(s) (3).

46. The injection nozzle (1) according to claim 45, wherein that the depth of the annular groove (8) is less than the width of the annular groove (8).

47. The injection nozzle (1) according to claim 46, wherein the depth of the annular groove (8) is approximately 0.02 mm to 0.1 mm, preferably approximately 0.04 mm to 0.07 mm.

IN THE ABSTRACT

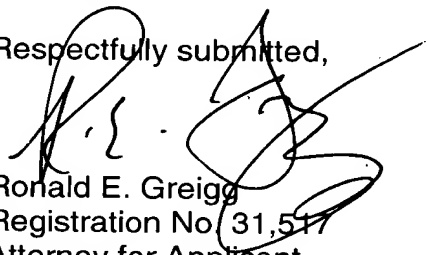
Please substitute the attached Abstract of the Disclosure for the abstract as originally filed.

REMARKS

The above amendments are being made to place the application in better condition for examination.

Entry of the amendment is respectfully solicited.

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